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Compsn. for stimulating or enhancing growth of hair or nail
tissue - comprises non-steroidal anabolic hormone(s), aminoacid(s),
vitamin(s), inorganic ions and glucose

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Compsn., comprising at least one non-steroidal anabolic hormone selected from insulin, triiodothyronine (T3) and thyroxine (T4), in combination with a minimum essential medium (MEM), contg. essential amino acids, a vitamin mixt. of folate, niacinamide, pantothenate, pyridoxine, riboflavin, and thiamine, an inorganic ion mixt. of calcium, sodium, potassium, chloride and magnesium, and glucose; for use in: (a) stimulating or enhancing the growth of hair or unguinal (nail) tissue in intact skin; (b) revitalising skin; and (c) restoring natural colour to hair in intact skin, in which the hair colour has diminished; is new.

USE - The comps. promotes vascularisation and angiogenesis in the dermis, stimulating dormant, dying, or weak hair follicles to produce hair and promote its growth. It also promotes melanogenesis in the follicles, restoring the natural colour of grey, greying, and damaged hair. The increased vascularisation and blood flow also has a revitalising effect on the skin, to become smoother, softer, more moist, oily, and waxy, more pleasing to the vision and touch cosmetically. In addn. to human use, the comps. can also be of value to increase hair prodn. by domesticated animals, a partic. example being sheep. Opt. addns. to the comps. are penetration enhancer(s), and gelling agent(s), if a gel form is desired. Addn. of growth hormone (GH), partic. human GH (hGH) for human use, is pref.

ADVANTAGE - The compsn. shows little, if any, toxicity, unlike Minoxidil, which can have hepatotoxic, tachycardiac, and contact dermatitis side effects.

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Title Terms: COMPOSITION; STIMULATING; ENHANCE; GROWTH; HAIR; NAIL; TISSUE; COMPRISE; NON; STEROIDAL; ANABOLIC; HORMONE; AMINOACID; VITAMIN; INORGANIC; ION; GLUCOSE

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